

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
JAN 09 2009**

In re Application of: Youichi HIDAKA, et.al.

Serial No.: 10/642,197

Group Art Unit: 2151

Filed: August 18, 2003

Examiner: Walsh, John B.

For: FRAME TRANSFER METHOD AND NODE IN ETHERNET

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

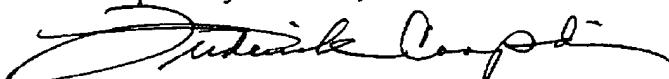
**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2008. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the One-month Extension fee of \$130.00 to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481 and to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



Frederick E. Cooperrider, Esq.
Registration No. 36,769

Sean M. McGinn, Esq.
Registration No. 34,386

Date: 01/09/09

**MCGINN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
LAW GROUP, PLLC**
Intellectual Property Law
8321 Old Courthouse Road, Suite 200
Vienna, VA 22182-3817
(703) 761-4100 Customer No. 21254

01/09/2009 JVONG1 00000020 500481 10642197
01 FC:1251 130.00 DA